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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 1762
PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04329.2437-02

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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SHINICHI ITO et al.) Group Art Unit: 1762
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Application No.: 10/697,436) Examiner: Bareford, Katherine A.
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Filed: October 31, 2003)
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For: METHOD FOR FORMING A) Confirmation No.: 7730
LIQUID FILM ON A SUBSTRATE)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In further reply to the final Office Action of July 22, 2005, the period for responding to which has been extended through December 22, 2005, by a Petition for Extension of Time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose to amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks follow the **Amendment to the Claims** section and begin on page 9 of this paper.

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